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Sir:

PETITION UNDER 37 CFR §1.47(a)

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.47(a), applicant hereby requests that the above-identified application and enclosed Declaration be accepted as a complete application.

The present application names two inventors, Douglas M. Winneg and Raymond Hayland. Mr. Hayland refuses to sign the Declaration for Patent Application. A copy of the Declaration for the present application is attached.

Also enclosed is a Statement of Facts of Douglas M. Winneg, inventor and President of Software Secure, Inc., detailing the efforts made to obtain the signature of Raymond Hayland on the Declaration for Patent Application and Mr. Hayland's refusal to sign the declaration.

The last known postal address of Raymond Hayland is:

Raymond Hayland c/o Software Works Corporation 1001 Worcester Road Framingham, MA 01703

The petition fee of \$130.00 pursuant to 37 CFR §1.17(h) is also enclosed.

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Applicants' attorney respectfully requests that this application be accepted pursuant to the provisions of 37 CFR §1.47(a) and that this application be forwarded to examination.

Respectfully submitted,

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